MONTANA
FISH AND GAME DEPARTMENT
FUR ANIMAL SEASONS
1961 - 62

Regulations Adopted by
Montana Fish and Game Commission
August 15, 1961

GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

TAKING OF FUR ANIMALS DURING THE OPEN SEASON BY ANY MEANS OTHER THAN TRAPPING IS PROHIBITED BY FISH AND GAME COMMISSION REGULATIONS EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED

TRAPPING LICENSES: Apply to the State Fish and Game Department.

District Office at Kalispell, Missoula, Bozeman, Great Falls, Billings, Glasgow or Miles City.

General Trapper's License—$10.00—Applicants must give number of their 1961 Bird and Fish License. Residents 70 years of age or over do not need the Bird and Fish License, but must show proof of age.

Landowner's Trapping License—$1.00—Applicants must give legal description of land owned or leased.

TAGGING TRAPS: Any person trapping fur-bearing animals or predatory animals for their pelts shall fasten a metal tag to all such traps bearing in legible English the name and address of the trapper, except that no tag shall be required on traps used by landowners trapping with permit on their own lands, and irrigation ditch right-of-way contiguous to the land.

FUR SHIPPING PERMIT—$0.60—Any person who desires to ship, take or transport in any manner out of State any fur-bearing animals, or the skins of fur-bearing animals, or parts thereof, shall first procure a shipping permit, said permit to be kept with said fur-bearing animals, or the skins from fur-bearing animals, or parts thereof, until the same have reached their destination, and if said fur-bearing animals, or the skins from fur-bearing animals, or parts thereof, are to be shipped, said permit shall be presented to the transportation company with consignment.

Fur shipping permits must be obtained from your local Game Warden or from the nearest District Office or the State Fish and Game Department, Helena, Montana.

POSSESSION OF LIVE FUR-BEARING ANIMALS: Live fur-bearing animals may not be possessed except under the provisions of fur farm permits.

CARE OF PELTS: Any person trapping beaver under permit or license shall properly care for all skins taken thereunder.

FUR DEALER'S LICENSE

Resident Fur Dealer	$10.00
Fur Dealer Agent	$10.00
Non-Resident Fur Dealer	$50.00

FUR DEALERS DEFINED: Any person or persons, firm, company, or corporation engaging in, carrying on, or conducting wholly or in part the business of buying or selling, trading, or dealing, within the State of Montana, in the skins or pelts of any animal or animals, designated by the laws of Montana as fur-bearing or predatory animals, shall be deemed a fur dealer within the meaning of this act. If such fur dealer resides in or if his or its principal place of business is within the State of Montana, he or it shall be deemed a resident fur dealer. All other fur dealers shall be deemed non-resident fur dealers.

DESTROYING BEAVER AND MUSKRAT HOUSES: It is unlawful for any person to willfully destroy, open or leave open, or partially destroy a house of muskrat or beaver, except that this shall not prohibit trapping in the house of muskrats when authorized by the Commission.

FUR ANIMAL SEASONS

MINK: Open season: November 10, 1961 through December 31, 1961, inclusive.

Special season: The Red Rock Lakes National Wildlife Refuge shall be open to the trapping of mink from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962, inclusive. Trappers must obtain a trapping permit from the Refuge Manager in addition to holding a General Trapper's License.

MUSKRAT: Open season: November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962, inclusive except as follows:

Special season: The Red Rock Lakes National Wildlife Refuge shall be open to the trapping of muskrat from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962, inclusive. Trappers must obtain a trapping permit from the Refuge Manager in addition to holding a General Trapper's License.

TRAPPING IN MUSKRAT HOUSES: Traps may be set in muskrat houses provided the part removed is replaced after insertion of the trap; this also to be done after removal of the trap. It is unlawful for any person at any time to willfully destroy, leave open, or partially destroy any muskrat house.

MAP EXPLANATION

CLOSED TO TRAPPING: All National Parks, All National Wildlife Refuges, and all Indian allotted or tribal lands (See exceptions).

DIVIDES STATE INTO EASTERN AND WESTERN MONTANA FOR BEAVER SEASONS.

MARTEN: Open season: November 10, 1961 through February 28, 1962, inclusive except as follows:

The following described areas are close to trapping of marten until further notice to assure the undisturbed increase of marten or fisher released in these areas in efforts to establish trapable populations.

PINKHAM CREEK MARTEN CLOSURE: That portion of Lincoln county within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Montana Highway 37 bridge on the Kootenai River at Rexford, thence easterly along Montana Highway 37 to U. S. Highway 93, thence southerly along said highway to the Fortine Creek-Five Mile Creek Road, thence southwesterly along said road to the Kootenai River bridge at Warland, thence northerly along the Kootenai River to the Montana Highway 37 bridge at Rexford, the point of beginning.

SWAN RIVER MARTEN CLOSURE: That portion of Missoula County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the junction of the Lake-Missoula County line and the Swan Range divide, thence southerly along said divide to the Flathead-Lolo National Forest boundary, thence southwesterly along said boundary to the Lake-Missoula County line, thence westerly, northerly and easterly along said county line to the Swan Range divide, the point of beginning.

ROCK CREEK MARTEN CLOSURE: That portion of Granite County within the following described boundary: Beginning where Montana Highway 38 crosses the Granite-Ravalli County line, thence easterly along said highway to the East Fork of Rock Creek bridge, thence southeasterly along the East Fork of Rock Creek to the Continental Divide, thence southwesterly along said divide to the Ravalli-Granite County line, thence northerly along said county line to Montana Highway 38, the point of beginning.

Marten pelts must be tagged by the Game Warden residing in the district where pelts were taken within twenty (20) days after the closing of the open season.

OTTER: Open season: November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962, inclusive.

Special season: October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962 in Beaver Trapping Areas 12, 23, 24, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 45, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 as described on the Trapper Map.

Limit: Trappers may take and possess only one (1) otter each per season.

CANADA LYNX: Open season: November 10, 1961 through February 28, 1962, inclusive.

Means of taking: May be taken only by trapping or shooting.

FISHER: Closed.

BLACK-FOOTED FERRET: Closed.

GENERAL* BEAVER SEASON REGULATIONS:

***Note:** Owners and lessees of real estate being damaged by beaver may apply for a permit to trap beaver under other provisions of the law. Please see your local Game Warden for further information.

Open season: November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962, inclusive.

Special season: October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962, inclusive in areas 12, 23, 24, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35, 37, 38, 45, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57 as described on the Trapper Map.

Permits: Only persons 12 years or older and in possession of a 1961-62 General Trapper's License may apply for a General Beaver Season Permit. (General Trapper's License may be applied for at the time of application for General Beaver Season Permit.)

Applications must be made on forms available from Game Wardens, District Offices, and the State Fish and Game Department, Helena, Montana. **(FOR SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION AND ISSUANCE OF GENERAL BEAVER SEASON PERMITS SEE WESTERN OR EASTERN MONTANA REGULATIONS BELOW.)**

General Beaver Season Permits are not valid on privately owned or leased land unless properly signed by the owner or lessee of said land. (In case of absentee ownership a letter from the owner or lessee to the trapper containing permission to trap beaver must be obtained by the trapper.)

The General Beaver Season Permit is not transferable. It shall be in the personal possession of the trapper when said trapper is engaged in trapping beaver on said permit.

The General Beaver Season Permit must be properly filled out and turned in to the Game Warden in the area for which it was issued within ten (10) days after the closing of the General Beaver Season.

Areas: Beaver Trapping Areas are described on the Trapper Map. Applicants may apply for a permit in any **ONE** area described on the Trapper Map.

Trappers may not transfer from one Western Montana Area to another Western Montana Area.

Trappers may transfer to the Eastern Montana Area by making application to the Miles City or Glasgow District Offices for issuance of a permit for that area.

Limits: Some Beaver Trapping Areas have a set quota of beaver to be taken as designated on the Trapper Map. In each of these areas, the limit per trapper will be established by dividing the beaver quota among the applicants. No limit will be set on the number of beaver a trapper may take in those areas marked "No Limit" on the Trapper Map.

MONTANA
Fish and Game Department Trapper Map

This Map is intended solely to help you find the trapping areas in which you are interested. Only the written legal area descriptions and season regulations listed have legal status.

Beaver Pelt Tagging: All beaver pelts must be tagged before sale or shipment. The last page of the General Beaver Season Permit constitutes an application for beaver tags. Additional applications for tags may be obtained from your local Game Warden or District Office. Application for tags must he sent to the Game Warden for the Beaver Trapping Area or, in Eastern Montana, for the County, wherein the beaver were taken. The trapper will remit to the Game Warden at this time 50c for each beaver tag needed.

WESTERN MONTANA BEAVER SEASON REGULATIONS:

Application for Issuance of Permits: General Beaver Season Permit applications for **ALL WESTERN MONTANA BEAVER TRAPPING AREAS** must be received by the State Fish and Game Director at Helena on or before October 1, 1961.

Permits will be released November 1, 1961 for all areas opening November 10, 1961. The trapper may then obtain the permit from the Game Warden in his Beaver Trapping Area. Permits are not valid unless signed by both the permittee and the Game Warden on or before the thirtieth day following the opening of the General Beaver Season in the applicants chosen Beaver Trapping Area.

Location of Trapping Within Area: Game Wardens shall have the authority to designate specific heaver trapping locations within each Beaver Trapping Area in their District for each beaver trapper legally registered therein. Trappers must abide by this designation and may not trap beaver in any other locality on the General Beaver Season Permit.

Means of Taking: Beaver may he taken in Western Montana only by trapping.

WESTERN MONTANA
Only one area may be chosen

Area No.	Quota	Residence of State Fish and Game Warden for Area
Fish and Game District One:		**Office—Kalispell**
11	200	Kalispell
12*	200	Kalispell
13	150	Polson
15	250	Thompson Falls
16	400	Libby
17	400	Eureka

*(Opens October 15, 1961)

Area No.	Quota	Residence of State Fish and Game Warden for Area
Fish and Game District Two:		**Office—Missoula**
21	125	Missoula
22	150	Superior
23*	750	Hamilton
24*	500	Anaconda
25	300	Missoula
27*	750	Deer Lodge
28*	500	Greenough

*(Opens October 15, 1961)

Fish and Game District Three:		**Office—Bozeman**
31	No Limit	Bozeman
32	300	Townsend
33*	500	Sheridan
34*	400	Dillon
35*	200	Ennis
36	No Limit	Livingston
37*	500	Butte
38*	500	Butte
39	75	West Yellowstone

*(Opens October 15, 1961)

Fish and Game District Four:		**Office—Great Falls**
41	No Limit	Great Falls
42	No Limit	Stanford
43	500	Conrad
44	100	Augusta
45*	300	Helena
46	100	WhiteSulphur Springs
47	1000	Lewistown
49**	0	Browning

*(Opens October 15, 1961)
**(Closed to General Beaver Season Trapping)

Fish and Game District Five:		**Office—Billings**
51*	800	Billings
52*	No Limit	Hardin
53*	No Limit	Roundup
54*	No Limit	Harlowton
55*	500	Columbus
56*	250	Red Lodge
57*	800	Big Timber

*(Opens October 15, 1961)

EASTERN MONTANA BEAVER SEASON REGULATIONS:

Applications and Issuance of Permits: General Beaver Season Permits for Eastern Montana will be available on or after November 1, 1961 and may be obtained only by applying to the State Fish and Game Wardens and District Offices listed on the Trapper Map for Eastern Montana. Permits will be issued by these wardens and offices at the time of application. **DO NOT SEND YOUR APPLICATION TO THE HELENA OFFICE.**

Location of Trapping Within Area: General Beaver Season Permittees legally registered in Eastern Montana may trap beaver in any area therein, **provided, however, that beaver pelts must be tagged by the Game Warden for the county wherein they were taken or by the nearest Game Warden thereto.**

Means of Taking: Beaver may be taken in Eastern Montana only by trapping.

Limit: There is NO LIMIT on the number of beaver a trapper may take in Eastern Montana.

Fish and Game District Six Office ..... **Glasgow**

Fish and Game District Seven Office ..... **Miles City**

Residences of Game Wardens in Eastern Montana: Glasgow, Malta, Havre, Fort Peck, Plentywood, Sidney, Miles City, Broadus, Glendive, Forsyth.

CLOSED TO TRAPPING: All National Parks, all National Wildlife Refuges and all Indian allotted or tribal lands except as otherwise specified. Permits to trap on National Wildlife Refuges may be issued by the Refuge Manager. For trapping privileges on other than Blackfeet, Cheyenne, and Flathead Indian Reservations, see local agency in question.

ALL STATE GAME PRESERVES ARE OPEN TO TRAPPING

PLEASE NOTE:

A number of fur-bearing animals have been eartagged for scientific study. If one of these animals is captured, please notify the nearest Game Warden or District Office of the tag number or numbers and the locality of the capture.

1961-1962 BEAVER TRAPPING AREA DESCRIPTIONS

AREA

11 That portion of Flathead County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Flathead River bridge on State Highway 40, thence westerly along said Highway to U. S. Highway 93, thence northerly and westerly along said Highway to the Tally Lake-Star Meadows Road, thence westerly along this road to the Flathead County line, thence southerly and easterly along said County line to the east shore of Flathead Lake, thence northerly along said lake shore to the Flathead River, thence northerly along the Flathead River to the bridge on State Highway 40, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 200 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

12 Those portions of Flathead, Lewis and Clark, Powell and Missoula Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning where the Continental Divide meets the southern boundary of Glacier National Park, thence westerly along said Park boundary to the junction of the North Fork and Middle Fork of the Flathead River, thence down the Flathead River to Flathead Lake, thence southerly along the east shore of Flathead lake to the Flathead-Lake County line, thence easterly along said County line to the Swan Divide, thence southerly along said Divide to the Lolo National Forest boundary, thence easterly along said boundary to the Continental Divide, thence northerly along said Divide to Glacier National Park, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 200 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

13 That portion of Lake County within the following described boundary: Beginning on the east shore of Flathead Lake at the Lake-Flathead County line, thence easterly and southerly along said County line to the Missoula County line, thence westerly along said County line to the Flathead Indian Reservation boundary, thence northerly along said boundary to Flathead Lake, thence northerly along the shore of Flathead Lake to the Lake-Flathead County line, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 150 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

15 That portion of Sanders County within the following described boundary: Beginning where the north Sanders County line meets the Idaho Border, thence easterly along said County line to the Flathead Indian Reservation boundary, thence southerly along said boundary to the Sanders County line, thence westerly along said County line to the Idaho Border, thence northerly along said border to the north Sanders County line, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 250 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

16 That portion of Lincoln County within the following described boundary: Beginning where the Kootenai River crosses the Canadian Border, thence down the Kootenai River to the Wolf Creek-Twin Meadow Road at Rexford, thence southerly along said road to the Lincoln County line, thence southerly and westerly along said County line to the Idaho Border, thence northerly along said Border to the Canadian Border, thence easterly along said Border to the Kootenai River, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 400 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

17 Those portions of Lincoln and Flathead Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Flathead River Bridge on State Highway 40, thence westerly on said Highway to U. S. Highway 93, thence northerly and westerly on U. S. Highway 93 to the Tally Lake-Star Meadow Road, thence westerly on said road to the Wolf Creek-Twin Meadow Road, thence northerly on said road to the Kootenai River at Rexford, thence up the Kootenai River to the Canadian Border, thence easterly along said Border to the North Fork of the Flathead River, thence down said North Fork to the Flathead River, thence down said River to the bridge on State Highway 40, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 400 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

21 That portion of Missoula County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the mouth of Rattlesnake Creek, thence southeasterly to Mount Sentinel, thence southeasterly along the Bitterroot-Clark Fork River Divide to the Rock Creek-Bitterroot River Divide, thence southerly along said Divide to the Missoula-Ravalli County line, thence westerly along said County line to the Montana-Idaho State line, thence westerly along said State line to the Missoula-Mineral County line, thence easterly, northerly and northwesterly along said County line to the Missoula-Sanders County line, thence easterly along said County line to the Flathead Indian Reservation boundary, thence southeasterly along said Reservation boundary to the Grant Creek-Rattlesnake Creek Divide, thence southerly along said Divide to the mouth of Rattlesnake Creek, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 125 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

22 Mineral County in its entirety, a legal sub-division of the State of Montana shall be open to the trapping of 150 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

23 Ravalli County in its entirety, a legal sub-division of the State of Montana shall be open to the trapping of 750 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

24 Those portions of Granite and Deer Lodge Counties within the following described boundaries: Beginning at a point where Highway 10 and 12 (or the new Interstate Highway) crosses the Granite-Powell County line, thence due south along the Granite-Powell County line to the Deer Lodge County line, thence due east along the Deer Lodge-Powell County line to the Jefferson County line, thence in a southerly direction along the Deer Lodge-Jefferson County line to the Silver Bow County line, thence in a southwesterly direction along the Deer Lodge-Silver Bow County line to the Continental Divide, thence in a southwesterly direction along the Continental Divide to a point where Granite, Beaverhead and Ravalli Counties meet at West Pintlar Peak, thence in a northerly direction along the Granite-Ravalli County line to the headwaters of Stony Creek, thence in an easterly direction down Stony Creek to Rock Creek, thence in a northeasterly direction to Sandstone Ridge, thence along Sandstone Ridge to the divide between Pole Ridge and Silver King Ridge, thence along said Divide to the divide between Harvey Creek and Lower Willow Creek, thence along said Divide in a northeasterly direction to the town of Drummond on Highway 10 and 12, thence in a southeasterly direction along Highway 10 and 12 to the Granite-Powell County line, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

25 Those portions of Missoula and Granite Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning at the mouth of Rattlesnake Creek, thence northerly along the Grant Creek-Rattlesnake Creek Divide to the Flathead Indian Reservation boundary, thence easterly along said Reservation boundary to the Boles Creek-Belmont Creek Divide, thence southeasterly down Belmont Creek to its intersection with the Blackfoot River, thence easterly along the Blackfoot River to the mouth of Elk Creek, thence southeasterly up Elk Creek to the Blackfoot River-Clark Fork River Divide, thence southeasterly along the Garnet Range Divide to the Helmville-Drummond Road, thence southerly along said road to U. S. Highway 10, thence northwesterly along Highway 10 to the Willow Creek-Harvey Creek Divide, thence southwesterly along said Divide to Pole Ridge-Silver King Ridge, thence southwesterly along Sandstone Ridge in a straight line to the mouth of Stony Creek on Rock Creek, thence up Stony Creek to the Rock Creek-Bitterroot River Divide, thence northwesterly along said Divide to Mount Sentinel, thence northwesterly across the Clark Fork River to the mouth of Rattlesnake Creek, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 300 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

27 That portion of Powell County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the Powell County line on Highway 20 about five miles east of Arrasta Creek, thence south along the Powell County line to the Nevada Creek-Upper Blackfoot River Divide, thence east along said Divide to the Continental Divide, thence southerly along the Continental Divide to Highway 12 at McDonald Pass, thence in a southerly direction along the Powell County line to its junction with the Granite County line, thence in a northerly direction along the Granite County line to its junction with Highway 10, thence west along Highway 10 to Route 271, two miles east of Drummond, thence in a northerly direction along said Route 271 to its junction with the Powell County line, thence west and north along the Powell County line to Route 20, thence in a northeasterly direction along Highway 20 to the Powell-Lewis and Clark County line, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 750 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

28 Those portions of Missoula, Powell and Lewis and Clark Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning at the mouth of Belmont Creek, thence northerly along Belmont Creek to the Flathead Indian Reservation boundary, thence northerly along said Reservation boundary to the Lake-Missoula County line, thence northerly and easterly along said County line to the Swan Range Divide, thence southerly along said Divide to the Blackfoot River-Flathead River Divide, thence southeasterly along said Divide to the Dry Fork-Flathead River Divide, thence southeasterly along the U. S. Forest Service Dry Fork Trail 31 to the North Fork of the Blackfoot River, thence easterly along said River to the mouth of the East Fork of the North Fork of the Blackfoot River, thence easterly along said River to the North Fork of the Blackfoot-Blackfoot River Divide, thence southwesterly along said Divide across Red Mountain to the Arrasta Creek-Copper Creek Divide, thence southerly along said Divide to the Beaver Creek-Arrasta Creek Divide, thence southwesterly along said Divide to the headwaters of Lincoln Gulch, thence southerly along Lincoln Gulch to Highway 20, thence westerly along Highway 20 to the Missoula-Powell County line, thence southerly along said County line to Elk Creek, thence northwesterly along Elk Creek to the Blackfoot River, thence westerly along the Blackfoot River to the mouth of Belmont Creek, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

31 Those portions of Gallatin, Madison and Park Counties described as follows: Starting at Sappington Bridge, thence northeasterly along and including the Jefferson River to Trident, thence along and including the Missouri River to Lombard, then northeasterly to the divide between Six Mile and Sixteen Mile Creeks, then easterly, along said Divide to the Broadwater-Gallatin County line, thence along Broadwater-Gallatin-Meagher County line to the interception of Park County line, thence in a southerly direction along divide between Gallatin and Shields Rivers to the divide between the Gallatin and Yellowstone Rivers to the interception of the Yellowstone Park boundary, thence following the Yellowstone Park boundary in a southerly direction to the Madison River-Gallatin River Divide, thence westerly along said Divide to the Taylor Peaks, thence northerly along the Madison River and Gallatin River Divide to the Madison-Gallatin County line, then along said line in a northwesterly direction to Highway 287, thence along said Highway to Sappington Bridge, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

32 That portion of those counties beginning at the point where Broadwater, Meagher and Lewis and Clark Counties intersect, thence in a southeasterly direction along the Broadwater-Meagher County line to the Gallatin County line, thence westerly and southerly along the Gallatin-Broadwater County line to Lombard, thence southwesterly along and excluding the Missouri River to its confluence with the Jefferson River, thence southwesterly along and excluding said River to Sappington Bridge, thence in a northerly direction along the divide between the Boulder River and the Missouri River to the divide between Prickly Pear Creek and Missouri River, thence northeasterly along said Divide to Montgomery Pass, thence in an easterly direction following Antelope Creek to Beaver Creek, thence along Beaver Creek to its confluence with Canyon Ferry Reservoir, thence in a northwesterly direction along said shore to Canyon Ferry Dam, thence across said Dam, and then in a southerly direction along and including the east shore of Canyon Ferry Reservoir to the Lewis and Clark, Broadwater County line, thence in a northerly direction following said line to the Broadwater, Lewis and Clark, Meagher intersect, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 300 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

33 Those portions of Madison, Silver Bow and Beaverhead Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at Parson's Bridge, thence westerly along the divide between Little Fish Creek and Dry Creek to Table Mountain, thence following county line to Red Mountain, thence in a southwesterly direction along the divide between Moose Creek and Camp Creek to the Big Hole River, thence in a northerly direction along the Big Hole River to the divide between Sawmill Gulch and Quartz Hill Gulch, thence up said Divide to Sheep Mountain, thence in a southerly direction along the divide between Wise River and Big Hole River to Highhoy Mountain, thence southeasterly following the divide between Birch Creek and Rattlesnake Creek to Dutchman Mountain, thence easterly in a direct line to Beaverhead Rock, thence southeasterly along ridge divides between Trout Creek-McHessor Creek, Ruby River-Beaverhead River, Ruby River-Red Rock River drainages, thence along said Divides to the divide between the Madison River-Ruby River, thence northerly along said Divide to Bradley Mountain, thence northwesterly to Noble Peak, thence northeasterly along the divide between South Boulder River and Big Antelope Creek to the Jefferson River, thence westerly along the Jefferson River to Parson's Bridge, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

34 That portion of Beaverhead County within the following described boundary: Beginning at Goldstone Pass on Montana and Idaho State line, thence northeast following divide between Big Hole River and Horse Prairie-Grasshopper Creek, thence easterly following the divide between Wise River and Grasshopper Creek to Highhoy Mountain, thence southeast following divide between Birch Creek and Rattlesnake Creek to Dutchman Mountain, thence easterly in a direct line to Beaverhead Rock, thence southeast along divide between Trout Creek and McHessor Creek to the divide between Ruby River-Beaverhead River, Ruby River-Red Rock River, Madison River-Red Rock River drainages, thence southeasterly along said Divides to Montana-Idaho State line, thence westerly along the State line to Goldstone Pass, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 400 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

35 That portion of Madison County within the following described boundary: Starting at Sappington Bridge in a westerly direction along Jefferson River to the divide between the South Boulder and Big Antelope Creeks, thence along said Divide to Noble Peak, thence in a southeasterly direction to Bradley Mountain, thence along divide between Madison and Ruby Rivers to the divide between Red Rock and Madison Rivers, thence easterly along said Divide to Montana-Idaho State line, thence in a northeast direction along State line to its intersection by the Gallatin-Madison County line, thence in a northerly direction along said County line to the divide between the Madison and Gallatin River, thence northwest along said Divide to the Madison-Gallatin County line, thence along said line to Highway 287, thence north along said Highway to Sappington Bridge, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 200 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

36 Those portions of Park, Gallatin and Meagher Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning where the Yellowstone-Gallatin River Divide intercepts the Yellowstone National Park boundary, thence northerly along said Divide to the Gallatin-Shields River Divide, thence northerly and easterly along said Divide to the Musselshell-Shields River Divide, thence southeasterly along said Divide to the Meagher-Park County line, thence easterly along said County line to the Sweet Grass County line, thence southerly along the Sweet Grass-Park County line to the Boulder-Yellowstone River Divide, thence southerly along said Divide to the southwest corner of Sweet Grass County, thence easterly along the Park-Sweet Grass-Stillwater County line to the Carbon County line, thence southerly along the Park-Carbon County line to the Montana-Wyoming State line, thence westerly along said State line to the Yellowstone National Park Boundary, thence westerly along said Park boundary to its interception by the Yellowstone-Gallatin River Divide, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

37 Those portions of Beaverhead, Silver Bow and Deer Lodge Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at Goldstone Pass on the Montana-Idaho State line, thence northwesterly along said State line to its junction with the Continental Divide, thence northeasterly along said divide to the Silver Bow-Deer Lodge County line, thence northeasterly along said county line to the Jefferson County line, thence southerly along the Jefferson-Silver Bow County line to U. S. Highway 91, thence westerly and southerly along said Highway to State Highway 43, thence westerly along said highway to the Sawmill Gulch-Quartz-Hill Gulch Divide, thence southerly along said divide to Sheep Mountain, thence southerly along the Wise River-Big Hole River Divide to Highboy Mountain, thence westerly following the Big Hole River-Beaverhead River Divide to Goldstone Pass, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

38 Those portions of Jefferson-Silver Bow Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at Parson's Bridge, thence westerly along the divide between Little Fish and Dry Creeks to Table Mountain and following the County line to Red Mountain, thence in a southwesterly direction along the divide between Moose and Camp Creeks to the Big Hole River, thence in a northerly direction along and including the Big Hole River to State Highway 43 Bridge (Divide Bridge), thence easterly along said Highway to U. S. Highway 91, thence northerly along Highway 91 to its interception with the Jefferson County line, thence northeasterly along the Jefferson County line to its intersection with the Powell County-Lewis and Clark County line, thence southeasterly along the divide between the Boulder River and Prickly Pear Creek to the divide between the Boulder River and Missouri River, thence southerly along said divide to the Sappington Bridge, thence westerly along and including the Jefferson River to Parson's Bridge, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

39 That portion of Gallatin County within the following described boundary: Beginning where the west boundary of Yellowstone National Park intercepts the Montana-Idaho State line, then in a northerly direction along the National Park boundary to its intersection with the Madison-Gallatin Divide, thence in a westerly direction along said Divide to the Madison-Gallatin County line, thence south along said County line to its intersection with the Montana-Idaho line, thence in a southeasterly direction along said State line to its intersection with the Yellowstone National Park boundary the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 75 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

41 Those portions of Cascade, Teton, Chouteau, and Lewis and Clark Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at a point where Highway 91 crosses the Missouri River, approximately two miles east of Wolf Creek. Thence northerly along the Missouri River to the Cascade-Lewis and Clark County line, thence northward along said line to its junction with Highway 89, thence northwest along Highway 89 to the Teton River, thence easterly down the Teton River to its junction with the Missouri River, thence westerly down the Missouri River to the mouth of Shonkin Creek, thence southerly up Shonkin Creek to the Cottonwood Creek-Highwood Creek Divide, thence south along said Divide to the Judith Basin County line, thence west along said line to the Cascade County line, thence southerly and westerly along the Cascade County line to Elkhorn Creek, thence down Elkhorn Creek to the Missouri River, thence down the Missouri River to the Highway 91 bridge, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

42 Those portions of Chouteau and Judith Basin Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at the junction of the Missouri River and Shonkin Creek, thence easterly down the center of the Missouri River to the mouth of the Judith River, thence southerly along the Judith River to the Judith Basin County line, thence southerly, thence westerly, thence northerly along the Judith Basin County line to Cottonwood-Highwood Creek Divide, thence northerly along the divide to Shonkin Creek, thence northerly down Shonkin Creek to the Missouri River, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

43 Those portions of Glacier, Pondera, Toole, Liberty, Hill, Chouteau and Teton Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at the junction of the Teton and Marias Rivers, thence up the Teton River to Deep Creek, thence up the divide between the Teton River and Deep Creek to the divide between the Teton River and the Sun River, thence up this divide to the Continental Divide, thence up the Continental Divide to the Glacier National Park boundary, thence along the Park boundary to the Blackfeet Indian Reservation boundary, thence in a southeasterly direction along this boundary to Birch Creek, thence down Birch Creek to its junction with the Two Medicine River, thence down the Two Medicine River to the Marias River, thence down the Marias River to the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

44 Those portions of Teton, and Lewis and Clark Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at a point where Highway 89 crosses the Teton River, thence westerly up the Willow Creek-Teton River Divide and Sun River-Teton River Divide to the Continental Divide, thence southerly along the Continental Divide to Lyons Creek, thence down Lyons Creek to Prickly Pear Creek to the Missouri River, thence down the Missouri River to the Cascade County line, thence northerly along the Cascade County line to Highway 89, thence northwesterly along Highway 89 to the Teton River, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 100 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

45 Those portions of Broadwater, Lewis and Clark, Jefferson and Powell Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at the junction of the Missouri River and Highway 91 bridge, two miles east of Wolf Creek, thence southerly up the Missouri River to Elkhorn Creek, thence easterly up Elkhorn Creek to the Lewis and Clark County line, thence southerly along said County line to the east shore of Canyon Ferry Reservoir, thence westerly along said shore to Canyon Ferry Dam, thence across said Dam to the west shore of Canyon Ferry Reservoir, thence southeasterly along said shore to Beaver Creek, thence westerly along Beaver Creek to Antelope Creek, thence westerly along Antelope Creek to Montgomery Pass, thence southwesterly along the Prickly Pear Creek-Missouri River Divide to the Prickly Pear Creek-Boulder River Divide, thence northwesterly along said Divide to the Lewis and Clark-Powell County line, thence northerly along said County line to Highway 12 at McDonald Pass, thence northerly along the Continental Divide to the Nevada Creek-Upper Blackfoot River Divide, thence westerly along said Divide to the Powell County line, thence northerly along said County line to Highway 20, thence easterly along said Highway 20 to Lincoln Gulch, thence northerly up said Gulch to the Beaver-Arrasta Creek Divide, thence northeasterly along said Divide to the Arrasta-Copper creek Divide, thence northerly along said Divide to the North Fork of the Blackfoot-Blackfoot River Divide, thence northeasterly along said Divide across Red Mountain to the headwaters of the East Fork of the North Fork of the Blackfoot River, thence westerly along said River to the North Fork of the Blackfoot River, thence westerly along said River to the U. S. Forest Service Dry Fork Trail 31 at the North Fork Station, thence northwesterly along said Trail to the Blackfoot-Flathead River Divide, thence northeasterly along said Divide to the Continental Divide, thence southeasterly along the Continental Divide to Lyons Creek, thence easterly down Lyons Creek to Prickly Pear Creek, thence northeasterly along said Creek to the Missouri River, thence southerly along the Missouri River to the Highway 91 bridge, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 300 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

46 That portion of Meagher County within the following described boundary: Starting at the junction of the Lewis and Clark, Cascade and Meagher County lines, thence southerly along the Lewis and Clark-Meagher County line to the Broadwater-Meagher County line, thence southeasterly along said County line to the Meagher-Gallatin County line, thence easterly along said County line to the Missouri-Shields River Divide, thence northeasterly along said Divide to the Musselshell-Shields River Divide, thence southeasterly along said Divide to the Meagher-Park County line, thence easterly along said County line to the Meagher-Sweet Grass County line, thence northerly along said County line and the Meagher-Wheatland County line to the Meagher-Judith Basin County line, thence northwesterly along said County line and the Meagher-Cascade County line to the Lewis and Clark County line, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 100 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

47 Those portions of Fergus and Petroleum Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at the junction of the Missouri and Judith Rivers, thence easterly down the Missouri River to the mouth of the Musselshell River, thence southerly along the east bank of the Musselshell River to a point opposite the south Petroleum County line, thence westerly across the Musselshell River to the southeast corner of Petroleum County, thence westerly along the Petroleum and Fergus County lines to the Judith River, thence northerly along the Judith River to the Missouri River, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 1000 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

49 That portions of Toole and Glacier Counties within the following described boundary: Starting at the junction of Two Medicine River and the Marias River, thence northerly along the Blackfeet Indian Reservation boundary to the Canadian Border, thence easterly along the Canadian Border to the Toole and Liberty County line, thence southerly down the Toole-Liberty County line to the Marias River, thence northwesterly up the Marias River to the Two Medicine River, the point of beginning, shall be closed to General Beaver Season Trapping.

51 That portion of Yellowstone County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the intersection of the Yellowstone-Musselshell County line, and Custer-Melstone road, thence in a southerly direction along said road to the County bridge at Custer, thence easterly along the highwater line of the north bank of the Yellowstone River to a point opposite the mouth of the Big Horn River, thence south across the Yellowstone River to the mouth of the Big Horn River, thence southerly along the highwater line of the east bank of the Big Horn River to its intersection with the Big Horn County line, thence in a southwesterly direction along the Big Horn County line to its intersection with the Yellowstone-Carbon County line, thence in a northwesterly direction to the southeast corner of Section 7, R 24E, T 3S, thence westerly along the south line of Section seven (7) to the southeast corner of Section 12, R 23E, T 3S, thence in a westerly direction along the south line of said line of said Section twelve (12) to the southwest corner of said Section twelve (12), thence in a northerly direction along the west line of said Section twelve (12) and the west line of Section one (1), R 23E, T 3S, to the Yellowstone-Carbon County line thence in a northerly direction along the Yellowstone-Stillwater County line to the Golden Valley County line, thence easterly along the Golden Valley-Yellowstone County line to the Musselshell County line, thence along the Musselshell-Yellowstone County line in a northeasterly direction to the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 800 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

52 That portion of Big Horn County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the intersection of the Big Horn County line and Big Horn River, thence southerly along the highwater line of the east bank of the Big Horn River to the mouth of the Little Big Horn River, thence southerly along the highwater line of the east bank of the Little Big Horn River to the intersection of the Little Big Horn River and Highway 87 at Wyola; thence southerly along Highway 87 to the Wyoming line, thence westerly along the Wyoming line to the Big Horn River, thence northerly along the Big Horn River to the Carbon County line, thence westerly along the Carbon County line, thence northerly along the Carbon County line to the Yellowstone County line, thence in a northeasterly direction along the Yellowstone-Big Horn County line to the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

53 That portion of Musselshell County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the northwest corner of Musselshell County, thence in an easterly direction along the Musselshell County line to the highwater line of the east bank of the Musselshell River, thence in a southerly direction along the highwater line of the east bank of the Musselshell River to its intersection with the Highway 12 bridge, thence westerly along Highway 12 to the junction with the Custer-Melstone road at Melstone, thence southerly along the Custer-Melstone road to the Musselshell-Yellowstone County line, thence in a westerly direction along the Musselshell County line to the southwest corner of Musselshell County, thence in a northerly direction along the Musselshell County line to the northwest corner of Musselshell County, the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

54 Wheatland and Golden Valley Counties in their entirety, a legal sub-division of Montana shall be open to the trapping of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

55 Those portions of Stillwater and Sweet Grass Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning at the northwest corner of Stillwater County, thence easterly along the Stillwater-Golden Valley County line to the Stillwater-Yellowstone County line, thence southerly along the Yellowstone-Stillwater County line to the highwater line of the south bank of the Yellowstone River, thence westerly along the highwater line of the south bank of the Yellowstone River to the Stillwater-Carbon County line, thence southwesterly along said County line to the intersection of the Stillwater-Carbon-Park County lines, thence westerly along the Park-Stillwater County line to the Boulder River-Stillwater Divide, thence in a northeasterly direction along the Boulder River-Stillwater River Divide to the highwater line of the east bank of Bridger Creek, thence along the highwater line of the east bank of Bridger Creek to the highwater line of the north bank of the highwater line of the Yellowstone River, thence along the north bank of the Yellowstone River to the Sweet Grass-Stillwater County line, thence in a northeasterly direction along the Stillwater-Sweet Grass-Golden Valley County line, to the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 500 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

56 That portion of Carbon County within the following described boundary: Beginning at the intersection of the Big Horn River-Montana-Wyoming line, thence westerly along said Montana-Wyoming line, to the intersection of the Stillwater-Carbon-Park County line, thence northeasterly along the Stillwater-Carbon County line to the highwater line of the south bank of the Yellowstone River, thence easterly along the highwater line of the south bank of the Yellowstone River, to the intersection of the Carbon-Yellowstone County line, thence south along the west line, of Section one (1) and Section twelve (12), R 23E, T 3S, to the southwest corner of Section twelve (12), R 23E, T 3S, thence east along the south line of Section twelve (12), R 23E, T 3S, and Section seven (7), R 24E, T 3S, to the intersection of the Yellowstone-Carbon County line, thence south and east along the Big Horn-Carbon County line to the Big Horn River, thence southerly along the Big Horn River to the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 250 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

57 Those portions of Sweet Grass and Park Counties within the following described boundary: Beginning at the northwest corner of Sweet Grass County, thence easterly along the Wheatland-Sweet Grass County line to the Golden Valley County line, thence in a southerly and easterly direction along the Golden Valley line to the Stillwater County line, thence in a southwesterly direction along the Sweet Grass-Stillwater County line to the highwater line of the north bank of the Yellowstone River, thence westerly along the highwater line of the north bank of the Yellowstone River, to a point directly opposite the mouth of Bridger Creek, thence across the Yellowstone River and in a southerly direction along the highwater line of the east bank of Bridger Creek to the Boulder River-Stillwater River Divide, thence along said Divide in a southwesterly direction to the Sweet Grass-Stillwater-Park County line, thence easterly along the Sweet Grass-Park County line to the southwest corner of Sweet Grass County, thence in a northerly direction along the Boulder River-Yellowstone River Divide to the Sweet Grass-Park County line, thence northerly along the Sweet Grass-Park County line to the point of beginning, shall be open to the trapping of 800 beaver by General Beaver Season Permit only, from October 15, 1961 through April 30, 1962.

61-71 Eastern Montana

There will be an open season for the taking of an unlimited number of beaver by General Beaver Season License Holders from November 10, 1961 through April 30, 1962, in the following described area: Those portions of Liberty, Hill, Chouteau, Blaine, Phillips, Valley, Daniels, Sheridan, Roosevelt, Richland, McCone, Garfield, Prairie, Dawson, Wibaux, Rosebud, Treasure, Custer, Fallon, Yellowstone, Musselshell, Big Horn, Powder River and Carter Counties lying within the following described boundary: Beginning at the International Boundary line and the junction with Toole-Liberty County line, thence east on the International Boundary line to the North Dakota State line, thence south on the North Dakota and South Dakota State lines to the Wyoming State line, thence west on the Wyoming State line to the junction with U. S. Highway 87, thence north on Highway 87 through Wyola to the Little Big Horn River, thence along the east bank of the Little Big Horn River to the junction on the Little Big Horn and Big Horn Rivers, thence along the east bank of the Big Horn River to the Yellowstone River, thence north across the Yellowstone River to the north bank of Yellowstone River, thence in a westerly direction up the north bank of the Yellowstone River to the county bridge at Custer, thence in a northerly direction up the Custer-Melstone road to Melstone and the junction with U. S. Highway 12, thence east on Highway 12 to the Musselshell River bridge, thence in a northerly direction down the east bank of the Musselshell River to the Missouri River, thence up the Missouri River in a westerly direction to the Marias River, thence up the Marias River to the Toole-Liberty County line, thence north along said County line to the International Boundary line, the point of beginning.